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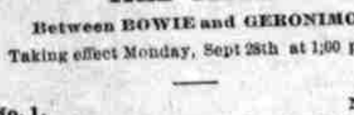

TIME TABLE:

Between BOWIE and GERONIMO.

Taking effect Monday, Sept 28th at 1:00 p. m.

No. 1.				No. 2
2 00..p.m.	Lv	Geronimo ‡	Ar.	12 30.p.m
2 21..p.m. / ..p.m.	Ar.. / Lv..	Fort Thomas ‡	Lv. / Ar.	12 04p.m
3 00..p.m.	Lv	Mathewsville †	Lv	11 23.am
..p.m. / 3 13..p.m.	Ar.. / Lv..	Pima ‡	Lv. / Ar.	11 04.am
3 27..p.m.	Lv	Central †	Lv	10 56.am
3 37..p.m.	Lv	Thatcher †	Lv	10 44.am
..p.m. / 3 50..p.m.	Ar.. / Lv..	Safford ‡	Lv / Ar.	10 09.am
..p.m. / 4 11..p.m.	Ar.. / Lv..	Solomon ‡	Lv. / Ar.	9 42.am
4 44..p.m.	Lv	Rail N Ranch †	Lv.	9 14am
4 59..p.m.	Lv	Big Wind Mill †	Lv.	9 01.am
5 02..p.m.	Lv	20 Mile Tank †	Lv.	8 58.a.m
5 10..p.m.	Lv	Bailey's Wells †	Lv.	8 52.am
5 35..p.m.	Lv	Summit Spur †	Lv.	8 30.a.m
6 05..p m.	Ar	Bowie ‡	Lv.	8 00 am

Mountain Time

Trains Nos. 1 and 2 run daily except Sunday, connecting with Southern Pacific R. R at Bowie for all points east and west, and with Layton's stage line at Fort Thomas for San Carlos, Globe City and Tonto Basin

† Stations have no agents.

‡ Telegraph Stations.

The Company reserves the right to vary this chedule as circumstances may require

WM. GARLAND, President.

Arizona and N. M. Railway,

TIME TABLE:

Going North	Distance from Lordsburg	No. Station	Time table No. 11 Jan. 1. 1895	Distance between stations	Going South
No 2					No. 1
12 00 m		1	†Lds'burg‡		10 20a m
1 00 p m	20	2	†Summit †	20	9 20a m
2 00 p m	40	3	Ar Duncan†	20	8 20a m
2 10 p m	...	..	Lv Duncan‡	..	8 10a m
2 35 p m	47	4	* † Sheld'n†	7	7 45a m
2 48 p m	50	5	* † Yorks †	3	7 38a m
3 05 p m	55	6	†Coronado †	5	7 25a m
3 25 p m	59	7	†Guthrie †	4	7 10a m
3 55 p m	64	8	*†sSiding †	5	6 45a m
4 00 p m	66	9	†n Siding †	2	6 40a m
4 30 p m	71	10	Ar Clifton †	5	6 15a m

rains run daily except Sunday

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Dr. C. H. Green,
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SAFFORD, - - - ARIZONA.
Has located permanently at Safford and offers his professional services to the citizens of the vicinity

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SAFFORD, - - - ARIZONA
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Meets b. monthly.
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LOCAL NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Items of Local Interest Gathered by Reporters on their Rounds.

DOINGS IN AND ABOUT TOWN

Breezy Little Notes of General Interets Picked up Here and There.

L. P. FISHER, NEWSPAPER ADVERtising Agent, 21 Merchants' Exchange Building, San Francisco, is our authorized agent. This paper is kept on file in his office

"IF YOU GET IT AT TELFER'S ITS GOOD."

Louis Voelckel, of Ft. Thomas, was a visitor in Safford this week.

Dr. W. E. Lindley; rear of post office. Office hours from 8 to 10 a. m. 9-17-tf.

A pleasant social evening was spent by a few invited guests at the residence of Mrs. Zufelt last Sunday evening.

Guitars for sale. Good instruments and cheep at the Fair Pima A. T. 1t.

Mrs. Synthia Layton and Mrs. Wright, of Thatcher, accompanied by C. Layton, Jr., returned yesterday from a visit to Mexico.

"IF YOU GET IT AT TELFER'S ITS GOOD."

The *Star* reports a case of small pox in Tucson, but adds that every precaution has been taken to prevent the spread of the disease.

Guitars for sale. Good instruments and cheap at the Fair, Pima A. T. 1t.

Telfer's New Store, for bargains. Coffee, Tea, Sugar, Dried Fruits, Nuts, Candies and Notions, at the lowest prices. 1t.

We have received an invitation to attend the wedding of W. B. Kelley and Miss Ruth Guernsey, which will take place at Solomonville, Feb. 22nd.

Telfer is receiving new goods every day and they are the very choisest at the lowest prices that it is possible to sell them, give him a call. 1t.

We were mistaken last week in one of the Bishop's counselors at Graham. Instead of Thos. Tally being one of the counselors it should have read Joseph Blair.

Dr. M. E. Brenner has again opened his dental office in Safford and is now ready for business. Those wishing first class work done on their teeth should call on him.

Pure Liquors of all kinds for medicine at the Safford Drug Co. 10-15-tf.

Rev. F. W. Downs will preach Sunday evening on, "Is Regeneration Necessary in getting to Heaven." The new choir will render good music. All are invited to attend.

Crushed corn always on hand at Z. C. Prina & Co's. mill. 10-1-tf.

Rev. S. S. Caldwell, of Solomonville, will preach in the M. E. Church in Safford on Sunday next. This will be Rev. Caldwell's last sermon here as he has decided to return to California next Tuesday.

Miners get your powder, fuse and caps at Telfer's. He will supply you with every thing you may want in the line of mining supplies at cheap prices. 1t.

Waldo Beam, A. V. Jones and Dr. Dudley passed through Safford last Wednesday on their way to the coal fields. Mr. Jones is a brother to Wiley E. Jones, and a recent arrival from Illinois.

Ijams & Freeman have on hand a supply of fine coffins and caskets and undertakers supplies of all kinds, Safford. 11-5-tf.

The family of Chas. Krueger, Safford's shoemaker, arrived here from the east last week. Mr. Krueger had just completed a nice little home for their reception when his family arrived.

In another column appears the new ad of the Fair, the popular store at Pima. Read the ad., then visit the store and convince yourself that they do just what they advertise.

C. Layton & Co. have just received a large assortment of Ladies capes, latest styles and at lowest prices. 10 8-tf.

The Safford Grammar school will give a grand masquerade ball and supper in the near future for the benefit of a public library, the object being a most worthy one, we urge everyone to help make it a success.

Telfer wants 100 dozen eggs, and a car load of butter, can't the farmers of this valley supply him? He is paying the highest market price for such products. 1t.

Chairman Barnes, of the Sanitary Board, announces that April 1st will be the limit of time in which brands will be recorded in the new Territorial brand book. Cattlemen should govern themselves accordingly.

A RUN AWAY.

In Which Mr. McClure is Badly Hurt.

Last Wednesday evening Mr. McClure, father of Jas. H. McClure, met with a serious and perhaps fatal accident.

He was on his way from Blake's to his son's place, and just before reaching the drug store it was noticed his horses were on the run. When arriving at the ditch crossing the horses jumped. When the wheels struck the bottom Mr. McClure was thrown violently out, alighting on the braces of the buggy pole. When reaching the corner the horses turned north on Station street and turned east at Mr. Frye's corner, where Mr. McClure was thrown to the ground.

When assistance reached him he was unconscious. He was placed in a buggy and taken to Tump Freeman's room, where Dr. Green made an examination of the injured man. He was bruised and cut considerably about the head and face, but the most serous injury and the one that is likely to prove fatal was the breaking of three ribs, the ends of them having penetrated the lungs, into the air tubs so that the air was allowed to escape.

Dr. Green gave him the necessary attention and made him as comfortable as possible, but he suffers a great deal of agony.

With great liberality and patriotism, Mr. B. M. Jacobs, of the Arizona National Bank, has offered to advance sufficient money to run the remaining two months. Now this is what we call extreme magnanimity and Mr. Jacobs appears as a Moses in this case. It would certainly be the cheapest way out of the difficulty and it would be a disgrace to Tucson to stop her schools now.—*Star*.

Shoes! Shoes! Shoes! Telfer has just recieved a full consignment of Ladie's, Gentlemen's and Children's fine shoes, shoes with heels and without. Shoes at your own price, come in and look at them. 1t.

Wm. Telfer's store is fast filling up with the very best kind of goods, and those most in demand by customers. He is advertising this week a line of almost everything. His store is fast assuming the appearance of a first class city establishment. Telfer understands what the people need, both as necessities and luxuries and he proposes to keep it always on hand.

Mr. and Mrs. James D. Gray, arrived in Safford last week from Lucerne, Ind. They were accompanied as far as Bowie by Wm. Kirtland and family. At Bowie Mr. Kirtland left the party and proceeded on his way to Alaska, while Mr. and Mrs. Gray, Mrs. Kirtland and children came on to Safford. Mr. and Mrs. Gray will probably make their home here.

Have you tried those Sugar Cured Peaches at Telfer's New Store. When cooked they can't be told from peaches picked right off the trees, only 15 cents a pound, are worth 20 cents, try them. 1t.

As it was impossible for Prest. Layton to attend any of the recent conferences, last Friday night services were held at his residence. The speakers were Dr. Karl G. Measer, Prest. Andrew Kimball, Patriarch P. C. Merrill and Ex-Prest. Layton. After the services Mr. Layton seemed to feel better than he had for some time past.

The United Globe Mines have put all the available men to work this week. Their coke, a train load, has been tied up at New Orleans for ten days, owing to the blockade of freight occasioned by the tunnel disaster on the Santa Fe & Pacific. The Buffalo smelter will probably blow in some day next week.—*Belt*.

Shovels, picks, axes, ax handles galvanized iron buckets, and a lot of choice and fancy groceries just received at Telfer's. All his stock of goods are fresh and at the very lowest prices. 1t.

Deestrick Skull, given in the M. E. Church last Friday night was a success from every point of view. The characters were all well sustained, and the audience, which was an unusually large one, was in good humor from beginning to end.

We were at the mines in the Lone Star and Yukon districts this week. Everything looks encouraging over there and the hills are full of prospectors. The indications are that a large amount of development work will soon be done.

Guitars for sale. Good instruments and cheap at the Fair Pima A. T. 1t.

The members of the Safford base ball club are feeling happy over the result of the game of ball last Saturday with the Thatcher boys. The score stood 7 to 10 in favor of Safford.

THE SCHOOL HOUSE

Will be Ready for Occupancy by Aug. 20th.

The trustees of the Safford school district have awarded the contract for building the new school house in this district to R. A. Smith, Jr., and John Morris. Announcement of this fact would have been made last week, but the bond had not then been filed.

Everything pertaining to making the contract complete has now been done and Messrs. Smith and Morris will commence operations immediately.

This house when finished will be by far the most imposing school structure in the county, and one that is badly needed.

It also showes the liberal and progressive spirit of our people. Where you find good school houses, with good schools maintained within them you will always find a progressive, wide awake community.

"IF YOU GET IT AT TELFER'S ITS GOOD."

The largest stock of goods in Safford is found at J. T. Owens. We are after you. Your trade is what we want, and to get it we will sell you goods lower than any body for cash. We have just received a large stock of spring and fancy dress goods, which we will sell at a very low price. A large stock of furniture, bed room sets, springs and center tables, also 40lb Excelsior mattresses. We are making a close cut on shoes now to make room for our mammoth spring stock which will arrive about March 10th Look at our ladies wraps. Remember we have the goods and we must sell them to make room for others that are about to arrive. The best bargan house in Safford is at J. T. Owens. 2t.

The stage from Geronimo to San Carlos met with a mishap last Monday night about three or four miles east of San Carlos. Descending a grade the break failed to work and the stage tuped over. H. Cullinane, drummer for Backingham & Hecht, was thrown out and sustained a serious abraison of the left leg. After the stage was righted the horses ran away, and in an attempt to stop them the driver was run over and had a leg broken. There were three other passengers aboard, Geo. H. Kelley among the number, who escaped without injury.—*Belt*.

Bargains in mens and boys clothing, suits worth $15.00 selling for $6.50. Boys suits worth $10 00 selling for $3.00. Now is the time to get bargains as Telfer wants to convince the public that his prices are the very lowest of any in town, or in the valley for that matter. 1t

On Tuesday afternoon of last week at Holbrook, C. L. White jumped onto the platform of the eastbound passenger and while waving an adieu to some friends was thrown to the ground by the jar of the train and the wheels passed over his right leg at the knee and his left leg at the ankle. He died while the doctor was amputating the mangled limbs.

Next week an inspector from Washington, accompanied by Surveyor Contezen, is expected to visit the coal fields and make an inspection of the recent survey. If it is approved by the Inspector there is little doubt as to it being approved in Washington.

P. J. Jacobson & Sons place a new ad., in this issue. They are receiving vast quantities of goods every day. Their lumber trade is increasing all the time. in fact they have such a demand that they are now making preparations to commence sawing in a few days.

Have you tried that cheese at Telfer's New Store? Pure cream cheese, Telfer has sold three hundred pounds of it since February 1st. Get some of it. Its good. 1t

Solomon & Wickersham's new ad., this week advertises a car load of Early Rose potatoes, just what the farmers want for seed. As planting time is near at hand the time for securing the very best of seed is now and from this popular firm of wholesale jobbers.

At noon last Tuesday Gov. McCord of Arizona and Gov. Corral of Sonora, Mexico, met at Nogales and were honored by the military company by a solute of 21 guns. This was the first meeting of the executives of the two states.

A marry party of surprisers visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Pursley last Wednesday night. The surprise was complete but the welcome and entertainment were none the less cordial.

Farmers bring your eggs and butter to Telfer's New Store. He will give you the highest market price for them in trade out of his choice selection of of goods. You will find his prices all right and will receive courteous treatment. Give him a call. 1t.

KILLED.

Daylight Robbery and a Killing.

Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 16th there was a daring attempt at robbery in Safford, and if it had not been for the courage and quick action of W. B. Fonda the robbers would have consummated their desire. There were in the store at the time several men, and this makes the attempt the more daring. The names of the robbers as afterward ascertained were Eusibo Raton and Marie Raton. Eusibo was killed but Marie for the time being escaped but was afterwards captured, and from her was learned just how the whole thing happened. She said that she and her husband were passing through Safford on their way to Old Mexico and were attracted by the neat appearance of the store, and entered to see if there was anything that they would care to get for their journey, and as they saw most of the men were in the rear of the store, and saw so many things that they wanted they were tempted to try and steal some of them while no one was watching. She said she had tasted of the Pure Cream Chese and from that moment became desperate, and had sampled the flour, and dried fruits, and as she was passing down behind the counter slipped into her traveling sack some of all of the many choice things Telfer carries. Telfer asked Judge Fonda to dismiss the case against her and as her husband was now dead he gave her some of those choice Peaches, Prunes, Dried Apples and a box of those fine Portland Crackers, and she promised to never again steal anything, and said that she would tell the whole Rat tribe of Telfer's New Store and ask them to trade there. This seems to be the opinion of everyone who trades at Telfer's. Every thing is satisfactory to those who patronize him. "IF YOU GET IT AT TELFER'S ITS GOOD." 1t

MARRIED.

On January 26th, 1898, Miss Nellie Halliday and W. H. Lattimer, both of Salt Lake city, Utah, were united in the holy bonds of matrimony, at that place, Bishop O. F. Whitney, of the 18th ward, preforming the ceremony.

Miss Halliday was quite well known here and has numerous friends and relatives in the valley. Miss Halliday is an accomplished young lady, a thorough musician, and made scores of friends during her visit to this valley two years ago.

Cruiser Maine Blown Up.

Havana, Feb. 15.—At a quarter of 10 o'clock this evening a terrible explosion took place on board the United States cruiser Maine in Havana harbor. Many were killed or wounded. All the boats of the Spanish cruiser Alfonso XIII are assisting. As yet the cause of the explosion is not apparent. Those supposed to have been killed number 253.

Debating Society.

Thatcher has a debating society that is just now attracting considerable attention. Last Friday night the question under discussion was "Free Trade or Protection." Free Trade had an easy visetorp.

To-night the debate is "Free Silver or the Gold Standard."

Three car loads of dry goods, Gentleman's and Ladie's fine furnishings, boots and shoes, laces, ribbons, threads, pins and needles, hardware, knives and cutlery of all kinds, builders hardware, and all kinds of fine and fancy groceries, are now on the track at Bowie station, for Telfer's New Store. They will arrive in Safford some day this week. Then will be the time to call and feast your eyes on bargains, and wonder at Telfer for selling them so low. 1t.

A few months ago, Mr. Byron Every, of Woodstock, Mich., was badly afflicted with rheumatism. His right leg was swollen the full length, causing him great suffering. He was advised to try Chamberlain's Pain Balm. The first bottle of it helped him considerably and the second bottle effected a cure. The 25 and 50 cent sizes are for sale by all dealers in medicine.*

From everywhere comes words of praise for Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. "Allow me to congratulate you on the merits of your Remedy. It cured me of chronic bronchitis when the doctor could do nothing for me."—Chas. F. Hemel, Toledo, O. For sale by all dealers in medicine.*

"IF YOU GET IT AT TELFER'S ITS GOOD"

Harry L. Castle is having shelves and counter put in the large room of the post office, and will put in a line of dry goods and fancy notions. He will make it a point to carry those things not carried in a general merchandise store, and yet always in demand.

S. S. CONFERENCE.

A Large Attendance at Pima Last Saturday and Sunday.

Last Saturday and Sunday the Sunday school conference of the Latter Day Saints was held at Pima. Dr. Karl G. Measer, General Superintendent of church schools was present. Each meeting was largely attended and Dr. Measer gave some very important instructions relative to Sunday school work. The different officers were also sustained and a partial review of the work accomplished in the Sunday schools throughout the stake was had. Statistical and financial reports were read, which showed all the schools to be in good condition.

"IF YOU GET IT AT TELFER'S ITS GOOD."

Credit Fosters Dishonesty.

Some one has said that the average man is honest, which I have no doubt is true, but it seems particularly strange that there are so few of them in any one place. It may be that many of the dishonest men of today belonged to the socalled "average class" years ago, but through the extension of credit to them they have been reluctantly immerged into an abyss of debt from which they have never attempted to release themselves.

It is unquestionably true that liquidating an old debt (as the old saying is) is like paying for a dead horse. This impression, I believe fosters dishonesty, and linked together with the present state of affairs all over the country, has made a pyramid of debt beyond the control of our medium of exchange and which has made many men to know not where to lay their heads. For these plausible reasons I am lead to denounce the world-wide system of credit which has been obnoxious from time immemorial and I am prevailed upon to economize that system of business which tells where we are and how we are; that system which fabricates not; that system which protects the jobber from insolvtion, and the merchant from a fiori facias, and lastly, that system in which time no longer kicks the beam of the wrong side of the ledger to inculcate upon the mind of the debtor that "debt is something more to his credit."—Lawyer and Credit Man.

Wants Silver,

SAFFORD, Arizona, Feb. 14th, 1898.

EDITOR GUARDIAN:—The editor of the *Trailer*, in the issue of that sheet of Feb. 11th, has an article on money, in which he denounces silver as a money. I, F. M. Thorstenson, am a paid up subscriber to the *Trailer*, but if that paper is to be a gold-bug, I am done with it for I will not support a gold-bug paper. In case the editor gets overloaded with silver, if he will inform me of the fact I will help him take care of it.

I am for silver, tor we need it. If we had free silver Arizona would be far ahead of what she is now. I am a citizen of Arizona and am interested in her welfare.

F. M. THORSTENSON.

The Surprise of All.

Mr. James Jones, of the drug firm of Jones & Son, Cowden, Ill., in speaking of Dr. King's New Discovery, says that last winter his wife was attacked with La Grippe, and her case grew so serious that physicians at Cowden and Pana could do nothing for her. It seemed to develope into Hasty Consumption. Having Dr. King's New Discovery in store, and selling lots of it, he took a bottle home, and to the surprise of all she began to get better from first dose, and half dozen dollar bottles cured her sound and well. Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds is guaranteed to do this good work. Try it. Free trial bottles at any drug store.*

Old Folk's Party.

The annual gathering of the old folks on the day set apart for that purpose, the 22nd of February, Washington's birthday, will take place as usual in the Layton meeting house.

The committee will have everything arranged for a splendid entertainment and reunion of the old people, and all over 55 years of age are cordially invited to attend. Dinner will be served promptly at 12 o'clock, at which time all are expected to be present. The widows and orphans are also invited.

FOR RENT.

I will rent the Dining Room and Kitchen of the Safford Hotel to responsible parties.

MRS. CHAS. FREEMAN,
Safford, Ariz. 12-17-tf.

If you want blankets call at C. Layton & Co's. Prices ranging from 80 cents per pair and upwards. They have a fine assortment. tf.

FREAK OF NATURE.

Former Tombstoneits Parents of a Remarkable Infant.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ulmer, formerly of Tombstone, and remembered by many here, have suddenly come into prominence and notoriety on account of a remarkable babe born to them. An Associated press dispatch from Cincinnati, O., says:

"The first-born child of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ulmer, of 745 Hopkins street, is a boy with two heads. It was 11 days old today, and although it has taken no nourishment in that time it is still alive. The babe is well formed in body and limbs, but has two heads upon such a short neck that they seem to set on the child's shoulders. The normal head is of size proportionate with the child's body. The other is abnormally large and turned to one side, so that the center line of the face is above the babe's left shoulder. Each head is complete in every detail. The boy can see from the eyes of either. The vocal organs in the short neck seem to be paralyzed, for not a sound has been heard from the lips of either head of the prodigy. The organs of hearing, sight, smell and taste seem to be perfect in both heads. A number of doctors have called at the Ulmer home to see the baby, and regard it as one of the most remarkable freaks of nature on record."

THE AMERICAN EAGLE.

The merchants sell you dry goods,
And sometimes lots of trash,
While some sell on credit
Others only sell for cash,
But A. H. Austen shaves your face
And combs your hair so smoth
That should a fly light upon it
Its footing it would loose;
His tools they are the finest
And always kept in fix,
And if you let him shave you
The girls will let you kiss
(Your Grandmama.)
The American Eagle Shaving Parlor,
Safford - - Arizona.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, LUCAS COUNTY. } ss

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, county and state aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATARRH CURE.

FRANK J. CHENY

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1886.

{SEAL} A. W. GLEASON, *Notary Public.*

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials free.

Address, F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

Sold by Druggists, 75c.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

It is said as a result of an injury received a couple of weeks ago during a ball game, while cutting monkey shines, because a few widows were witnessing the game, Nat Wanslee has sent to Jacobson's saw mill for a wooden leg.

A choice lot of those famous Portland soda crackers at the New Store of Telfer's, put up in one pound packages and Telfer is going to sell them for a few days at the very low price of 10 cents a package. Don't miss this chance. 1t.

There will be no decisions rendered in the Supreme Court until after the 23rd. The court is now adjourned and will not convene again until that date. After that decisions will be handed down as fast as possible.

Al. Schwerin, of Solomonville, made us a call this week and informed us that he intends to go east in about a month, where he expects to make his future home.

A. H. Austen is opening a shaving parlor in Safford. Mr. Austen is an artist in his profession.

"IF YOU GET IT AT TELFER'S ITS GOOD."

Free Pills.

Send your address to H. E. Bucklen & Co., Chicago, and get a free sample box of Dr. King's New Life Pills. A trial will convince you of their merits. These pills are easy in action and are particularly effective in the cure of Consumption and Sick Headache. For Malaria and Liver troubles they have been proved invaluable. They are guaranteed to be perfectly free from every deleterious substance and to be purely vegetable. They do not weaken by their action, but by giving tone to stomach and bowels greatly invigorate the system. Regular size 25c per box. Sold by all druggists.*

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FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 1898.

MINING in the range of mountains just north of Safford is fast assumming large proportions.

LUETGEART the Chicago sausage maker has been found guilty of the murder of his wife and received a life sentence.

THE *Trailer* has served notice on its patrons that it is an out and out gold bug and has no use for silver.

THE silver people are under obligations to Tom Reed for one thing. He didn't keep them in suspense for an unreasonable time.

No country on earth holds out greater inducements for the investment of capital or to the home seeker than Graham county.

SIXTEEN years ago a steel warship had not been built in this country. Now we're building them for Japan.

WHEN foreigners so far forget themselves as to criticise the head of this nation the "dose" given De Lome is the best medicine to administer.

THAT ordinary people should be somewhat mystified over the Eastern question is quite natural. China itself doesn't appear too sure of its ground in the matter.

A statesman wanting to regulate the number of pockets in a man's clothes might next be guilty of desiring to limit those who may use long-distance telephones.

A CALL for the annual meeting of the Territorial Press Association has been issued by Prest. J. C. Martin. The meeting of the Association will be held in Tucson on March 11th and 12th.

APOLOGISTS for Dingleyism say that folks see New England's cotton trouble because they don't look for anything else. Great Scott! After the promises made the country didn't even look for this.

THE officials of Phœnix have taken a decided stand against street walking prostitutes and their male companions who are associated with them. The officers propose to rid the city of their presence, or at least corral them so that they will not be a public nuisance.

AN editor in California sarcastically remarks that he wants to buy a sack of flour, a pair of shoes and a felt hat and that he is ready to receive the lowest bid for the same. He says that some of his own townspeople treat him that way when they want printing to the amount of three dollars.—Ex.

CONGRESSMAN LINNEY, of North Carolina, the wit of the Republican side of the House, in a speech published in the Congressional Record of February 2, presents one of the most powerful arguments in favor of the Teller resolution that has ever been set forth by any man in either end of the capitol.

FIGURES AND FACTS.

ON January 26th, Hon. Stephen Brundidge, of Arkansas, delivered in the House of Representatives a speech of such force that it attracted the attention of all. Mr. Brundidge evidently drew his inspiration from the utterances of the President of the United States, who the night previous delivered himself in the City of New York of the fact that the national administration proposes to carry out the decress of its masters, the bonded interests.

Mr. Brundidge after proving the depreciation in value of labor and commodities and the enhancement in purchasing powar of the dollar, proceeded in a forcible and admirable manner to draw a contrast between the conditions that existed among a once prosperous and happy people and the false position now occupied by that party, which claimed to be the especial champion of the producer's cause. He aptly draws a picture in the following language:

"Now, behold how conditions have changed. This band of former repudiators and extortioners are no longer known by their correct names; they are now called the progressive business men of this country, with especial emphasis given to the word "progressive," while the plain, common people who dare to complain at this long continued and systematic robbery and stealing are cursed and abused as being anarchists and dishonest repudiators of a just indebtedness."

After further quoting from the President's speech, wherein the President stated that the conservative element must again submit to the arbitration of the money question at the polls, Mr. Brundidge justly and aptly said:

"The warning here given is easily understood. The people are raising in their rigateous wrath and by their ballots are hulling from power men who have undergone these sudden and so far mysterious changes upon this the greatest political question that today confronts us.

"But let them do their worst; there is no escape from facing the undecided alternative of submitting this question for settlement at the polls, and when that is done no sane man can long question what the result will be.

"We welcome the coming of the day when this great question of the money of the Constitution shall once more be submitted to the uncorrupted and uncoerced manhood of this Government and when the last speech shall have been made and the last ballot cast I believe that we will then rejoice in the fact that the Democratic party has won one of the grandest and greatest victories for the rights and liberties of the people that any party has ever achieved."

THAT $100,000 capital bond scheme for the erection of a state house will pursue some one as a nightmare yet. What use have the people of Arizona for a state building? The Republican papers, the organs of the party in the Territory declare that the people have not sense enough to govern themselves, but must be governed by eastern appointees. If this be true and the people are the anarchists and repudiationists these republican sheets picture them, we see but very little use for a capitol building, except to spend $100,000 of the people's money for the benefit of Phœnix.

IN discussing unequal taxation the Winslow *Mail* says:

"The *Mail* thinks the better way to equalize taxation is, for the next legislature to place a tax on the bullion products of our mines."

The force of this statement is obvious to all. Every tax payer in the Territory should insist that not only a bullion tax law be passed, but also a just and equitable freight and fare bill. The large companies never have sustained their portion of the burdens and never will until compelled to do so by legislative enactment.

KNOWLEDGE IS POWER.

"Why is it that so many mothers allow their daugthers to grow up so deplorably ignorent of housekeeping and all that pertains to house-keeping?" asks Carrie May Ashton in the Wisconsin Agriculturist.

"Only last week a young girl of seventeen married a man ten years older than herself. She knows nothing of cooking, or in fact any particular work. She had not finished school and her father and other relatives did their best to postpone the marriage, but alas, the mother who should have been her best and closest friend, not only allowed but approved of the marriage.

"What kind of a housekeeper is an inexperienced girl of seventeen likely to make? Supposing the husband does earn a good salary, how far will it go if she is not prudent and a good manager?

"'But she will not do her own work' I hear some of my readers saying. 'Possibly not; but more likely she will. In any event, would it not be wiser to have a thorough knowledge of household duties? It matters little in what station of life a girl is situated. There are times in her life when she would be very thankful if she has been properly trained.

"No woman who is inexperienced in housekeeping will be as successful in keeping help as one who has a thorough knowledge of it. In a large number of cases marriage is a failure because women are deplorably ignorant of what they ought to know.

"They marry out of the schoolroom, office or store, and expect to have an easy, care-free life. Alas, that they are sadly disappointed.

"I would not have my readers think for a moment that I believe in limiting any girl's or woman's sphere in life. She should be free to choose for her own avocation and she should be self-reliant, but I do insist that she should have a thorough understanding of housekeeping and its manifold duties. No girl has a right to marry until she can cook a good meal and look after a home as she should. There ought to be a law prohibiting early marriages, especially where both parties are ignorant of what a true marriage means.

"Knowledge is always power and the woman who understands chemistry and cooking and the value of wholsome food, and its effect upon the human body is doing much toward elevating the human race.

"Men who are obliged to subsist upon poorly cooked food, fried, leathery meats, greasy potatoes, sour bread and indigestible pies are far more likely to have a craving for intoxicating drinks than those who live upon simple, wholesome food perfectly cooked.

"A vast number of earnest and thinking men and women have given considerable thought and attention to this subject and the result is that cooking and sewing are taught in several universities and colleges. Oh, that it might be taught in every public school in the United States!

"A good practical education which will enable our bosy and girls to become self-reliant and helpful citizens is of far more value than a college course. Let us have the necessaries of life first and afterward, if we can afford the time and money, have the luxuries.

"By no means would I have my readers think that I am opposed to the higher education for boys girls. Not all of us can afford to send our children to college, but even the humbliest can, in this day and age, be given a good, practical education. Books and good reading matter can be had for a very small outlay, and nearly every village and town boasts of its public schools. There are good public libraries, and many advantages are offered to those who are struggling for an education."

THE home rule bill before congress has been endorsed by supervisors of Yavapai, Coconino, Mohave, Graham, Pima, Cochise, Gila and Yuma counties.—Arizona *Citizen.*

Yes, and by the Prescott city council and ninety-nine out of every 100 men in Arizona. 'Rah for home rule.—Prescott *Courier.*

We can add to the above another endorsement. Word has been received at this office that the Hualapai Indians have come out strongly in favor of home rule and less soap. Our informant also stated that the braves lustily "rahed" for Buckey. We suggest that the *Courier* collect all of these endorsements and ship them to congress without delay.—Arizona *Republican.*

To class the representatives of the people of Arizona with Hualapai Indians is an eastern idea which the editor of the *Republican* will get rid of as soon as he becomes sufficently acclimited in Arizona.—*Courier.*

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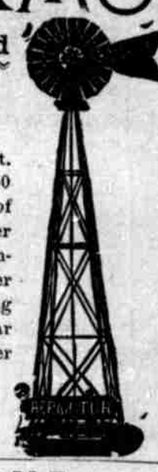

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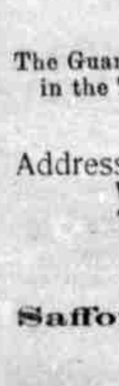

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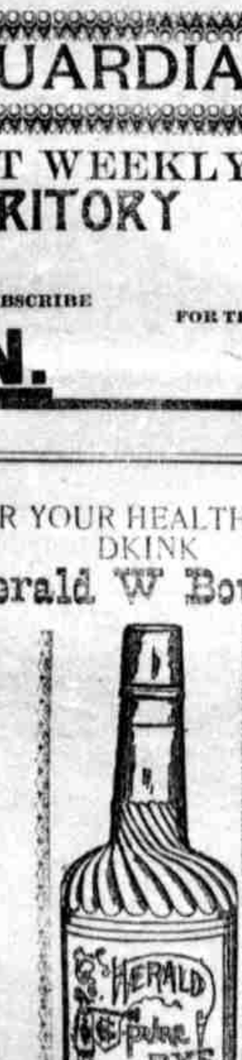

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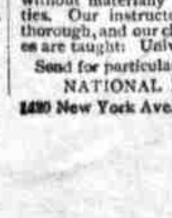

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This is the natural home of alfalfa, of which from 4 to 5 crops are grown yearly, yielding from 5 to 8 tons per acre. It is not as stocky as that which comes from the Salt River valley and is preferable for either horses or cattle.

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The following are the market values of the products of the soil at the ranch, there being ready sale for everything raised in the valley.

Wheat	$1.25 per cental.
Barley	1.05 " "
Corn	1.00 " "
Hay	6.00 to $8 per [ton.
Hogs	4 cts per pound
Apples	5 " " "
Potatoes	3 " " "
Cattle from	$11 to $18 de-[livered in Safford.
Milk cows	$25.00 to $30.00

There is at present about 118 miles of irrigating canals and main ditches, not including the latteral ditches which will make the total several times this amount. This gives ample water to assure crops for about 45,000 acres. When the Enterprise canal is finished it will water several thousand acres of rich table and bottom land. It has been estimated that a quarter of million acres of additional land could be irrigated if storage dams were built. This could be done in several places, notably at the narrows about 18 miles from Safford where a box canyon exists through which the river passes. It is from this point the Enterprise company are building their canal.

Graham county covers an area of 7,000 square miles.

The Gila valley is 35 miles from the narrows to the edge of the reservation, with an average width of bottom lands of two miles, the distance between the foot hills being six miles. The valley is flanked on the north by the Gila mountains and on the south by the Graham mountains, Mount Graham being the highest peak, with an altitude of ten thousand feet above sea level.

Although but little prospecting has been done in either the Gila or Graham mountains, the few properties which have been developed show that the ore body is practically inexhaustable; while copper predominates, there is both gold and silver in paying quantities It is a virgin field for both the minor and captalist and one which promises grand results.

The two principal mining companies are the Detroit, at Morenci, and the Arizona Copper Company, at Clifton. The former employes 300 men and the latter 600.

The output of the Arizona company is 20 tons of copper per day and of the Detroit about 10 tons per day. These two companies alone pay out for labor about $600,000 annually.

Experts are at present prospecting near Saffoad for coal.

There are twenty-five schools, and one Academy in Graham county The examination for teachers is very strict; only those who are thoroughly qualified being able to procure certificates. 12 churches of different denominations look after the spritual welfare of the community. Society is as refined here as in any of the old eastern cities.

Delinquent Tax Notice.

Of Graham County, Arizona, for the Year 1897.

TERRITORY OF ARIZONA, }
COUNTY OF GRAHAM, }

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BURWELL B. ADAMS,
County Treasurer and Ex-Officio Tax Collector, Graham County, Arizona.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31st day of December, A. D., 1897.
(Seal)
FRANK DYSART,
Clerk District Court, Graham County, Arizona.

TERRITORY of ARIZONA, }
COUNTY of GRAHAM, }

Pursuant to Act No. 58 of the 19th Legislative Assembly of the Territory of Arizona, Notice is hereby given that unless the taxes delinquent, as set forth in said delinquent tax list, together with costs and precentages are paid. the real estate upon which said taxes are a lien, will be sold at Public Auction on the 2nd, day of March, 1898, (sale thereof on the 15th day of February, 1898, hereby postponed to said March 2, 1898,) at the frontdoor of the Court House in the town of Solomonville, County of Graham, Territory of Arizona as required by law.

Dated this 10th day of January, 1898.

BURWELL B. ADAMS,
County Treasurer and Ex-Officio Tax Collector, Graham County, Arizona.

NOTICE OF BOND REDEMPTION.

OFFICE OF COUNTY TREASVRER }
December 22nd 1897. }

Notice is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received by the County Treasurer, of Graham county, Arizona, up to Noon of Monday January 24th 1898 for the redemption of three thousand dollars ($3000) of Graham County Court House Building Bonds. Said Proposals will then be opened and Bonds redeemed to the amount of three thousand dollars of the lowest bidder provided that no, bids will be received for more than par value of said bonds.

BURWELL B. ADAMS,
County Treasurer, Graham County Arizona.

Mr. Ward L. Smith, of Fredrickstown, Mo., was troubled with chronic diarrhoea for over thirty years. He had become fully satisfied that it was only a question of a short time until he would have to give up. He had been treated by some of the best physicians in Europe and America but got no permanent relief. One day he picked up a newspaper and chaneed to read an advertisement of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. He got a bottle of it, the first dose helped him and its continued use cured him. For sale by all dealers in medicine.*

Dr. W. E. Lindley; rear of post office. Office hours from 8 to 10 a. m. 9-17-tf.

PROPOSALS.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, COUNTY OF GRAHAM, TERRITORY OF ARIZONA. }
Solomonville, Arizona, Feb. 11th, 1898.

Sealed proposals will be received at this office until 10 o'clock a. m., Monday, April 4th, 1898, as follows:

For Cynnty Printing.

1. For printing the delinquent tax list of 1898 as required by law, a stated price per inch or fraction thore of to be single leaded in Brevier type.

2. For the publishing and printing notices of reward, notices for bids, and all other public notices required by the county and the officers thereof, that are by law a county charge, a stated price per inch for each insertion, to be set in Nonpareil type leaded.

3 For publishing the proceedings of the board of supervisors, in accordance with the law, a stated price per inch, set single leader in body type.

4 For publishing and printing a list of persons the valuation of whose property has been added to by the board of equalization, as required by law, a stated price per inch, single leaded.

5 For publishing and printing the list of property held by the Territory of Arizona, for sale for delinquet taxes as required by law, once a week for two months (ten insertions) Nonpareil type, single leaded

6 For printing letterheads and furnishing stock therefor, a stated price per thousand, a sample of the paper to be used to accompany each bid.

7 For printing envelops and furnishing stock therefor, XX 6 and 10 inch, a stated price per thousand, a sample to accompany each bid.

8 for printing tax receipts, poll tax, road tax, notice by road overseer, bound, a stated price per thousand.

9 For printing blanks ¼ and ½ sheets, a stated price per thousand.

The board reserves the right to consider the above as a whole or in sections.

For Care of the Indigent Sick and Poor of the County.

1 For the care of the indigent sick of Graham County, including medical and sergical attention, medicine, food, lodging, and clothing, a stated price per day for each indigent sick person at the Hospital.

2 For medical attendance on the indigent sick of the County of Graham, not requiring attention at the hospital, including prisoners confined in the county jail, a stated price per month.

3 For the examination of all alleged insane persons and report thereon when required by the probate judge, a stated price for each person so examined.

4 For the care of the county poor where no medical attendance is required, including good and substantial food and lodging, a stated price for each person.

5 For the boarding of all prisoners confined in the county jails, a stated price per day for each prisoner boarded.

6 For the burying of paupers, dying in the county, a stated price for each.

7 For the care of Robert McKerrow and John Arthur, including food, clothing and lodging.

8 For painting and kalsomining the county hospital at Solomonville.

All bids must be sealed and addressed to the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, and so marked as to indicate what is being bid for.

Contracts to run from April 16, 1898, to April 16, 1899.

Bonds will be required from those to whom contracts are awarded for the faithful performance of the same.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids and re-advertise for same.

By order of the Board.

PEDRO MICHELENA,
Clerk Board of Supervisors, Graham County Arizona.

The Scenic Line of Arizona.

S. F. P. & P. R'y. Co.
With The
SANTA FE SYSTEM.

Shortest and quickest route between Phœnix, Kansas City, Chicago, St. Louis and Eastern points

S. F. P. & P. Time Table No. 25,
Effective December 14, 1897.

Mon	4:30p	lv..San Francisco...ar	6:45p	Tues
Tues	10:00a	lv.......Mojave........	4:15a	Tues
Tues	7:00a	lv....San Diego......ar	1 15p	Tues
Tues	9:50a	lv....Los Angeles...ar	8:30a	Tues
Tues	4:10p	lv......Barstow......ar	1:00a	Tues
Tues	11:25p	lv....The Needles...ar	6:05p	Mon
Wed	2:40a	lv......Kingman......ar	4:22p	Mon
Wed	7:40a	ar.....Ash Fork.....lv	12 35p	
Mon	10:00p	lv.......Chicago......ar	9:00p	Wed
Mon	11:30p	lv......St. Louis......ar	6:15p	Wed
Tues	11:20p	lv....Kansas City..ar	7:05a	Wed
Wed	3:00a	lv.......Denver.......ar	5:00p	Tues
Wed	8:40p	lv...Albuquerque...ar	10:25p	Mon
Thur	2:35a	lv.......Gallup.......ar	4:45p	Mon
Thur	9:45a	lv......Flagstaff.....ar	10:35a	Mon
Thur	12:10p	ar.....Ash Fork.....lv	8:05a	Mon

Southbound No. 1 Lmtd Pass. Lve Daily	STATIONS.	Northbound No. 2 Lmtd Pass. Lve Daily
12:35p	Leave Ash Fork Arrive	7:30a
1:20p	......Rock Butte......	6:35a
2:27p	...Jerome Junction...	5:21a
3:10p	Arrive. Prescott. Leave	4:30a
3:15p	Leave. Prescott. Arrive	4:18a
3:45p	.........Summit.........	3:48a
4:35p 4:55p	....*Skull Valley......	2:58a
5:15p	........Kirkland........	2:35a
6:45p	..Congress Junction...	12:55a
7:20p	......Wickenburg......	12:17a
7:47p	....Hot Springs Jc.....	11:47p
8:44p	..........Peoria..........	10:30p
8:53p	........Glendale........	10:27p
9:05p	........Alhambra........	10:15p
9:20p	Arrive. Phœnix..Leave	10:00p

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Through tickets to all points in the United States, Canada and Mexico.

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Prescott Arizona

GEO. M. SARGENT,
General F. & P. Ag't.
Prescott Arizona.

R. E. WELLS,
Asst Gen. Mg'r.
Prescott, Ariz.

SUNSET ROUTE.

Southern Pacific Railway.

Stations.	East Bound.	West Bound
El Paso	1:30 a m.	9:35 p m
Deming	11:00 a m	5:30
Lordsburg	9:20	7:30 a m
Wilcox	6:30 p m	9:55
Benson	4:25 a m	11:30
TUCSON	Lv. 2:25........Ar.	1:25
	Ar. 2:10........Lv.	1:40
Casa Grand	11:55	4:02
Maricopa	11:12	4:47
Gila Bend	9:45	6:15
Yuma	5:20	10:40 a m
Los Angeles	2:30 p m	1:50 p m
San Francisco	Lv 3:30 p m	Ar 10:30 a m

The Guardian.

For President 1900,

WILLIAM JENNINGS BRYAN.

FRIDAY FEBRUARY 18, 1898

LATE EDITORIAL.

A local lodge of the K. of P. is to be organized in Safford. This is a movement in which the boys should receive encouragement.

It is now said that in the early spring 5000 able bodied Japanese are to be landed in the Klondike country.

The Democrats, Silver Republicans and Populists of Oregon have agreed upon a fusion ticket. The platform indorses the Chicago platform and also the initative and optional referendum. They will carry that state without a struggle. The election occurs in June.

"The Pittsburg *Times* ought to increase the salary of its editorial writer who say the population of Arizona is composed principally of Mexicans and Indians."—*Republican.*

No doubt the *Times* editor has been reading the Arizona *Republican.*

The special spring edition of the Guardian will devote a great deal of space to giving a true statement of the unoccupied resources of this portion of the Territory as well as to those already developed. It will prove of great value to those seeking homes, also to those seeking investment for capital.

Evidently Senor De Lomethought that as Spain had had her own way so long with the United States that he could say anything he wished concerning the chief executive of the nation. But when he wrote that letter to his friend Canalejas, and failed to add, "burn this letter," in which he severely criticised the president his official head soon fell into the waste basket.

Our flouring mills found such a demand for the excellent flour made here during the past year, that nearly all the wheat raised in the valley has been consumed, and wheat is now being shipped by some of the mill companies from Salt River in order to supply the demand for the flour made here, which is sent to almost every portion of the Territory. This speaks well.

Why was the millionaires' banquet to President McKinley given the day before the final vote was taken on the Teller resolution, declaring that the bonds of the United States are payable either in gold or silver coin? Because the rich manipulators of legislation administration desired to use the power of the Executive, not only to defy the law, but to rebuke the Senate of the United States for repeating a resolution for which Mr. McKinley voted twenty year ago, declaring what the law was, and is, governing the contracts between the government and its creditors.—Silver *Knight.*

It was asserted, when Supervisor Matthews held out against lowering the taxes of the copper companies of Clifton and Morenci, that he did not understansd the ground he was taking in the matter, having never visited either camp. Mr. Matthews made up his mind to visit the camps at the earliest opportunity and satisfy himself whether or not he was right. Last Monday he started for Clifton and will spend several days in the copper camps and thoroughly satisfy himself in regard to the duty of the Board of Equalization towards those companies. At the next meeting of the Equalizing Board the result of his visit will probably be made public.

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PRICE'S
CREAM
BAKING
POWDER
MOST PERFECT MADE.
A pure Grape Cream of Tartar Powder. Free from Ammonia, Alum or any other adulterant.
40 YEARS THE STANDARD.

The Arizona *Republican* exerted tremendous effort the other day in its laudation of Gov. McCord. Still that column and a half of praise was hardly necessary. If the Governor is the gilt winged angle the *Republican* pictures him, people will find it out. But at the same time we have no objection to the *Republican* singing the Governor's praises if it does it honestly and not make comparisons between his and former administrations by contorting figures and facts belonging to those former administrations. The *Republican* overdid the thing.

It says Gov. McCord found Territorial warrants selling at 85 cents. This is not true, unless the "drop" took place when dealers in these warrants found that McCord was to be Governor. During the latter part of the Franklin administration Territorial general fund warrants, those referred to by the *Republican*, sold at 98 cents.

In comparing the expenses of running the territorial government during the last six months of Gov. Franklin's administration and the first six of Gov. McCord's, it again shows an unfair spirit. It says McCord's six months were run with several thousand dollars less than the Franklin six months. Of course they were. It would be hard, even for a Republican, to spend more money during the first six months of an administration than during the closing of one, when everything must be cleared up as nearly as possible. And also during Franklin's last six months the expenses of Arizona's 19th Legislature had to be footed, amounting to several thousand dollars. The Franklin six months, without the Legislature, were run with less money than the McCord six months.

In speaking of the convict labor contract, it says the Territory will be the gainer even if the water rights it gets for this labor do not become valuable, because the canal will add a million dollars worth of taxable property to the territory's resources. We would like to know how, if the Territory's stock does not become worth any thing, the canal will reclaim any land or add anything to the taxable wealth of the territory.

We will also state that Gov. Franklin stood firmly against the Yavapai county bond steal and everything else calculated to rob the people The *Republican* will find comparisons to be all right if they are honest, otherwise they redound to the discredit of the one inaugurating them.

Dr. W. E. Lindley; rear of post office. Office hours from 8 to 10 a. m. 9-17-tf.

An Ohio editor says that hay fever is caused by kissing grass widows. A Missouri editor says it is caused by a grass widow kissing a fellow by moonlight. An Iowa editor says it is caused by the fellow kissing the hired girl while she is feeding hay to the cow, and an eastern Kansas exchange is of the opinion that it is caused by missing the girl and kissing the cow.

Guitars for sale. Good instruments and cheap at the Fair Pima A. T. 1t.

Alcohol, Wines & Liquors, a fresh supply received at the Safford Drug Co. 10-15-tf.

Delinquent Tax Notice.

Of Graham County, Arizona, for the Year 1897.

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COUNTY OF GRAHAM, }

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BURWELL B. ADAMS,
County Treasurer and Ex-Officio Tax Collector, Graham County, Arizona.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31st day of December, A. D., 1897. (Seal)

FRANK DYSART,
Clerk District Court, Graham County, Arizona.

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COUNTY of GRAHAM, }

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Dated this 3rd day of February, 1898.

BURWELL B. ADAMS,
County Treasurer and Ex-Officio Tax Collector, Graham County, Arizona.

First publication Jan. 21.

Notice for Publication.

Homestead Entry, No. 1481

LAND OFFICE AT TUCSON ARIZ.,
Jan. 14th 1898.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Clerk of the District Court at Solomonville, Arizona, on February 28, 1898. viz:

James P. Lindsey of Safford, Graham county, Arizona, for the Sw ¼ of Sw ¼ Sec. 4 and E ½ of SE ¼ Sec. 5, Tp 7 S. R., 26 E.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz:

Peter Anderson, Jessie C Wauslee, James M Talley and William R Waddill, all of Safford, Graham county Arizona.

EUGENE J. TRIPPEL,
Register

SUMMONS.

In the District court of the Second Judicial District of the Territory of Arizona, in and for the County of Graham.

ZARA CHAIRDZ DE MONDRAGON, plaintiff.
VS
TRINIDAD MONDRAGEN, defendant.

Action brought in the District Court of the Second Judicial District of the Territory of Arizona in and for the County of Graham.

The Territory of Arizona sends greeting to said Defendent.

You are hereby summoned and required to appear in an action brought against you by the above named plaintiff and answer the complaint filed with the Clerk of the above entitled court at Solomonville, in the county of Graham, Territory of Arizona, within ten days (exclusive of the day of service) after the service upon you of this summons if served in this county, but if served out of the county but within this district then within twenty days, in all other cases within thirty days.

You are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer the complaint on file herein as required by law, judgement by default will be taken against you and for costs and disbursements in this behalf expended.

Given under my hand and the seal of the district court, affixed hereto [SEAL] at Solomonville, this 11th day of December, 1897.

FRANK DYSART, Clerk.

SUMMONS.

In the District Court of the Second Junicial District of the Territory of Arizona, in and for the County of Graham.

LEONA BOWLES, Plaintiff.
VS
JAMES S. BOWLES, Defendant. } Divorce.

Action brought in the District court of the Second Judicial District of the Territory of Arizona in for the County of Graham.

The Territory of Arizona sends greeting to said Defendent.

You are hereby summoned and required to appear in an action brought against you by the above named plaintiff, and answer the complaint filed with the Clerk of the above entitled court at Solomonville, county of Graham, Ariz. Ter., within ten days (exclusive of the day of service upon you of this summons) if served in this county; but if served out of the county but within this district, then within twenty days, in all other cases within thirty days.

You are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer the complaint as required by law judgment by default will be taken against you, and for the costs and disbursments in this behalf expended.

Given under my hand and the seal [SEAL] of the district court, affixed hereto at Solomonville, this 7th day of February, 1898.

FRANK DYSARS, Clerk.

SUMMONS.

In the District Court of the Second Judicial District of the Territory of Arizona, in and for the County of Graham.

JAMES T. QUINN, Plaintiff.
VS
GEORGINA QUINN, Defendant. } Divorce.

Action brought in the District Court of the Second Judicial District of the Territory of Arizona in and for the County of Graham

The Territory of Arizona sends greeting to said Defendent.

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Given under my hand and the seal of the district court, affixed hereto [SEAL] at Solomonville, this 7th day of February, 1898.

FRANK DYSART, Clerk.

The Jones
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Safford, Arizona.

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FINEST GOODS and LOWEST PRICES
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A Full Stock always kept. Call if you need any
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Ready Day and Night.
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Well Equipped for the Accommodation of commercial Travelers
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First Class House in Every Particular.
None but the best American cooks employed. Tables always furnished with the best the market affords. Hot and cold baths.
C. MADSON, Prop., Safford, Arizona.

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I have bought the entire mercantile establishment of C. K. Jennings, formerly owned by Wm. Kirtland. My friends will find my goods of the best, my clerks courteous and my prices at the bottom.
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Mining location notices and real estate deeds for sale at the Guardian office. tf.

Blank notes and deeds for sale at the Guardian office. tf.